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CAROLINA PREPARES FOR LEGAL BATTLE

Governor Glenn and Corporation
Commission Will Resist Suit
for Injunction.

GOVERNOR AYCOCK COUNSEL

He Has Long Talk With Gov-
ernor and Commis-
sion.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., May 15.—A conference was held to-day between the North Carolina Corporation Commission and Governor Glenn with reference to the employment of counsel on the part of the State for the litigation now on involving the reduction of passenger and freight rates, particularly the injunction suit brought by the Southern Railway Company against the commission, and returnable at Asheville, before Judge Pritchard June 26th. While no official announcement is yet made, it is understood that ex-Governor C. B. Aycock will be of counsel for the State. He held a long conference with the Corporation Commission yesterday. Assistant Attorney-General Hayden Clement will be actively in the case, but Attorney-General R. D. Gilmer will hardly be able to take a very active part in the case, owing to bad health.

A check for the Southern Railway Company, of Goldsboro, capital \$25,000, secured by J. F. Southern and others, is to the Western North Carolina Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Asheville, N. C. The check was made out by Mr. Pritchard, J. C. Orr and others.

Teachers Not to Meet.
Secretary H. W. Connor issues today an official notice that the session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly that was to have been held in Durham this year is canceled on account of the burning of Hotel Carolina. The secretary states that it would be impossible to arrange for holding the assembly at any other point this year, and the loss of the financial aid that Durham was to have given would make it impossible for the assembly to meet this year.

Students of the Agricultural and Mechanical College have subscribed \$1,000 to the fund for the Young Men's Christian Association building. \$10,000 is the amount that will be required.

BUY ELECTRIC LINE.
Vanbrunt and Associates Get Control of Valuable Greensboro Property.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
GREENSBORO, N. C., May 15.—It developed here this afternoon that W. T. Vanbrunt, close to Harriman, of New York, and Deane Allen and associates have purchased the Greensboro Electric Company with the holdings, and in a few days will take over the same. The company has a monopoly here of street car service, electric lighting, gas and power plants. The new owners required some time ago the franchise for a railway from High Point to Greensboro, and have been at work constructing the line from High Point to connect with the company's steam road from Thomasville to Glendon. The plan is to connect Greensboro and High Point by electric line, and the purchase of the Greensboro plant makes the enterprise a certainty.

SHOOTING FROGS; KILLS BOY.
Lad Steps in Front of Companions and Is Shot.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SALISBURY, N. C., May 15.—Clyde Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jackson, of Salisbury, died at a hospital in this place to-day from the effects of a gunshot wound sustained a week ago while gathering hoppers on a creek bank near Salisbury. The lad, who was nine years old, stepped in front of a crowd of playmates shooting frogs in a marsh, and was accidentally shot in the leg. He was carried to a hospital immediately, but was too weak for an operation, and grew worse until the hour of his death to-day. His father is a well-known hotel proprietor in Salisbury.

BOARD OF MISSIONS.
This Agency of Southern Lutheran Church Now in Session.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 15.—The Board of Missions of the Southern Lutheran Church convened at St. Mark's Lutheran Church at 11 o'clock this morning, with the president of the board, Rev. H. H. Holland, D. D., presiding. There were present at the opening session, as members of the board and official representatives, Rev. W. C. Schaeffer, D. D., of Savannah, Ga.; Mr. J. M. Nicholson, of Knoxville, Tenn.; Mr. L. W. Kline, of Salem, Va.; Rev. W. L. Schrock, of Newberry, S. C.; Mr. J. A. Cline, of Concord, and

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Gents, 50 cents. Ladies, 25 cents.
Tickets at Y. M. C. A. Building and
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Music, Refreshments, Recreation.

M'INTOSH TO HANG FOR PARKS MURDER

Negro Who Killed Prominent
Berkley Citizen Makes Con-
fession of Crime.

A NEGRO ATTACKS WOMAN

Mrs. Legum Is Severely Beaten
by Man Who Entered Her
Husband's Bar.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, VA., May 15.—William McIntosh, colored, charged with the murder of C. W. Parks, a prominent citizen of Berkley Ward, was found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury of twelve who sat in judgment on him in the Corporation Court this afternoon. Judge Allan R. Haneke presiding.

McIntosh was arrested just after the assault, and the following Monday confessed to having assaulted Parks, and implicated Leister, another negro, now being held in the city jail charged with the same crime.

Negro Attacks Woman.
Mrs. I. Legum, wife of the proprietor of a bar-room at the corner of Godwin and London Streets, was the victim of an assault by a negro burglar at 2 o'clock this morning.

Her husband left his place for a while, leaving Mrs. Legum in a room on the ground floor adjoining his bar. She fell asleep on a lounge and was awakened by a negro man who seized her by her throat and struck her a vicious blow in her eye. Mrs. Legum struggled with the intruder and yelled fire, which aroused the neighborhood, causing the burglar to beat a retreat.

Dr. Stanford Cooke was sent for and found Mrs. Legum suffering from shock and a bad bruise on her face, one eye being blind.

WOODMEN OFFICERS.
J. C. Root, of Omaha, Is Chosen Commander of Sovereign Camp.

NORFOLK, VA., May 15.—The Sovereign Camp, Woodmen of the World, in biennial convention here to-day elected the following officers for the next two years:

Commander, J. C. Root, Omaha, Neb.; Adviser, W. A. Frazer, Dallas, Tex.; Banker, Morris Shoppard, Texas; Clerk, John T. Yates, Omaha, Neb.; Escort, H. P. Simrall, Columbia, Miss.; Watchman, W. B. Jewell, Manchester, Iowa; Sentinel, D. E. Bradshaw, Little Rock, Ark.

Of the board of managers, N. R. Maxey, of Muscogee, Ala.; C. C. Farnham, of Mount Carroll, Ill.; Fitzgerald, of Kansas City, Mo.; L. C. Rawson, of Cleveland, Ohio; T. E. Patterson, of Chattanooga, Tenn.; and E. J. Lewis, of Kinross, N. Y., will be elected without opposition, but for the seventh member of the board, made vacant by the death of C. K. Erwin, of Milwaukee, there is a spirited contest between William P. Thompson, of Columbus, Ohio, and E. D. Campbell, of Detroit, Mich.

After Winchester Now.
Anti-Saloon League Will Begin Active Campaign.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINCHESTER, VA., May 15.—Considerable surprise was occasioned to-day by authoritative announcement that the Anti-Saloon League is to conduct a determined campaign here from now until time for another election next spring.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS.
Annual Convention of Virginia Organization Being Held in Norfolk.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, VA., May 15.—The Funeral Directors' Association of Virginia met here to-day in annual convention, addresses and reports of delegates to the National Association of the Funeral Directors and reports of committees taking up the time of the association for the day. President H. D. Oliver, of Norfolk, called the convention to order. Mayor James G. Riddick delivered an address of welcome to the visitors, to which Major L. T. Christian, of Richmond, responded. Dr. H. H. Dupuy, health commissioner of the city, addressed the association this afternoon. Officers will be elected to-morrow.

MR. SAAL, PRESIDENT.
Petersburg Man Chosen to Head Elks for Ensuing Year.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., May 15.—Lynchburg was to-night chosen as the next place of meeting for the Virginia State Lodge, B. P. O. Elks. Officers followed: President, Mayor Saal, Petersburg; First Vice-President, R. E. Norfleet, Suffolk; Second Vice-President, S. P. Siefert, Roanoke; Third Vice-President, Huston Glenn, Staunton; Secretary, W. C. Godsey, Petersburg; Treasurer, T. B. Hicks, Richmond.

The first annual convention will close to-morrow with a big street parade and a social session.

DECORATE CADETS' GRAVES.
Anniversary of Battle of New Market Is Appropriately Observed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEXINGTON, VA., May 15.—To-day, the thirty-first anniversary of the battle of New Market, in which the cadets took such an active part, was observed at the Virginia Normal and Military Institute by the suspension of academic duties.

This afternoon the graves in the cadets' cemetery were decorated with flowers under the supervision of the ladies of the New Market Memorial Association. The usual salute was fired by the cadet battery, and music for the occasion was furnished by the post band.

Mustering in Warrenton Company.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WARRENTON, VA., May 15.—The Warrenton Rifles were inspected and mustered in Monday night by Colonel J. Lane Stern, of Richmond, who is inspector-general of the State militia.

At the close of the inspection, Colonel Stern complimented the company on its fine appearance and excellent drill. Captain Slaughter, of the Copper Mine company, who was present, spoke along the same line.

Captain Slater, of the Warrenton Rifles, responded on behalf of the company.

Many Pay Poll Taxes.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SUFFOLK, VA., May 15.—The official list of all voters qualified to participate in the primary primary June 8th in Suffolk and Nansemond counties was completed this evening. As an evidence of local interest, ninety-five per cent. of all white voters in Suffolk paid poll taxes, a larger proportion than ever before. The percentage in the county was much smaller. There are, all told, 1,917 eligibles, of whom 748 are in Suffolk.

Boy Instantly Killed.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CLINTWOOD, VA., May 15.—News has just been received here from Judge near this place, of a very distressing accident. It seems that of Burbridge Owens's sons was handling a gun, when he was discharged, instantly killing a smaller son.

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June Brides

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Bales and Implicates E. E.
Reid.

CONVERT EIGHTEEN HUNDRED

Interest in Revival Has Not
Diminished—May Close To-
morrow Night.

PETERSBURG, VA., May 15.—A. R. Beck, the young delivery clerk at the Atlantic Coast Line freight depot, in this city, who is charged with the larceny of a case containing eighty-one pairs of pants from the railroad company, told Chief of Police Rag-

land at the time of his arrest that he and another young man named E. E. Reid, employed by the "Bureau of Inspection and Weighing," had stolen a couple of bales of cotton from the depot last March, and sold them for \$70 to the very man to whom they were claimed. This merchant had put in a claim for the cotton, which had disappeared from the freight depot. Reid was arrested to-day in Harrisonburg, Va., at the request of Captain Rag-

land. President N. T. Patterson, of the Council, has appointed R. B. Davis and James H. Gray to represent that branch of the city government on the Battlefield Park Committee, provided for by the ordinance passed at the Council meeting last evening. One member from the Board of Aldermen will complete the committee.

Eighteen Hundred Converts.
The union evangelistic meeting conducted at the Washington Street skating rink by Rev. George C. Gates may close to-morrow night, but it is understood that the evangelist will continue the meetings if the churches under whose auspices they are being held so desire. There is no diminution of interest in the meetings, which have been the most successful religious gatherings ever held in this city. About eighteen hundred people have profession conversion.

Dr. J. M. Burke and Mr. E. J. Collins, Jr., have returned from Roanoke, where they represented the Petersburg Council, Knights of Columbus, at the State convocation of the order. Rev. Father J. T. O'Donnell, rector of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, in this city, was elected State chaplain, and Petersburg was selected as the next place of meeting on the second Tuesday in May, 1908.

Fifty-six Graduates.
Fifty-six graduates received diplomas at the twenty-fourth anniversary exercises of the Virginia Normal and Industrial Institute in Ettrick this afternoon.

The committee on teachers and textbooks has submitted a report to the Petersburg public school board, advising against the election of male principals of public schools.

Mr. Abe Minton and Miss Myrtle I. Smith, a popular young couple of the West End, left this morning for Washington, in which city they will be married.

Arrest Two Men for Assault.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BRISTOL, VA., May 15.—Two men, said to answer the description of Trice Nelson and Charles Mann, for whom warrants have been issued, charging them with assault at Kingsport, Tenn., to-day, and are being held for identification.

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It doesn't pay to rent cots, and yet we must serve our trade. So sometime ago we contracted for 500 specially constructed, woven wire, heavy wood frame cots at the old prices. Now you know, on account of Norfolk and the Jamestown Exposition, prices of cots have gone up 25 to 50 per cent., and are hard to get at that. But, nevertheless, while this lot lasts we'll sell them, not over 5 to a single customer, at 99c

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BECOMES BENEDICT

Pretty Wedding of Well-Known
Raleigh People—Miss Stein-
metz Bride.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., May 15.—There was a pretty marriage ceremony in the First Presbyterian Church to-day, when Assistant State Veterinarian G. A. Roberts was united in marriage to Miss Emily Clara Steinmetz, daughter of Henry Steinmetz. The wedding ceremony was performed by Dr. A. H. Mendenhall, the pastor. The floral and other special decorations were especially pretty. The bride party consisted of Miss Matilda Steinmetz, bridesmaid; Professor J. C. Kendall, best man; and Dr. H. W. Glascock, Dr. George Summey, Albert Dauman and Fred Harding, ushers.

Dr. and Mrs. Roberts left on an afternoon train for a bridal trip North.

Grubbs—Corley.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
APPLE GROVE, VA., May 15.—Mr. Charles C. Grubbs, of Richmond, Va., and Miss Mattie Corley, of Apples Grove, Va., to-day at the residence of Rev. John R. Wilkinson, who performed the ceremony in the presence of a few friends. The attractive bride was tastefully and daintily attired in white. Immediately after the ceremony they left to attend a reception at the bride's father's residence, whence they go to Richmond, their future home.

Burroughs—Bleeker.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SOUTH BOSTON, VA., May 15.—A quiet wedding took place at 10 o'clock this morning on Jeffers Street, when

Miss Florence Bleeker became the bride of Mr. William J. Barbour. Both are of his place. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. W. T. Williams, of the Methodist Church, officiating. Miss Lela Bleeker, a sister to the bride, was maid of honor, while Mr. Oswald Blesley acted as best man. After the ceremony, the bridal couple left for an extended tour North. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bleeker, and the groom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Barbour, of this place.

Cather—Ewing.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINCHESTER, VA., May 15.—Miss Annie Lee Ewing, daughter of the late Moses Ewing, of this county, and Silas Cranville Cather, of Winchester, were married last evening at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. William Irons, near town, by Rev. George S. Dowers, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, of Winchester.

Miss Gussie Ewing, of Winchester, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Clarence Lychell, of Kernstown, Va., was best man. An elaborate supper followed the wedding. The couple will reside in Winchester, where Mr. Cather is engaged in business.

Dowdy—Elyson.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, VA., May 15.—Last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Elyson, No. 115 Knight Street, in the presence of relatives and a few friends, Miss Mary V. Elyson became the bride of Mr. E. M. Dowdy. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. T. Jacobs, pastor of Franklin Street Baptist Church.

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